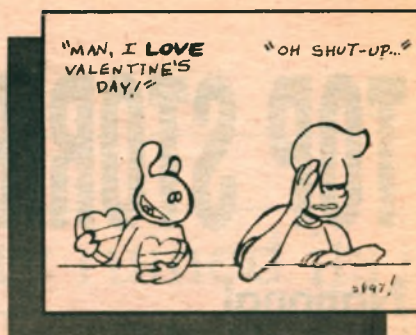


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# The Alestle

ALTON, EAST ST. LOUIS & EDWARDSVILLE



## Criminal charges will not be filed for phone fraud

By Melanie Adams  
 Editor-In-Chief  
*(Information provided by the St. Louis Post-Dispatch)*

After a year filled with idle threats by the university, the SIUE phone scam comes to a close.

It is unlikely that criminal charges will be brought against anyone who fraudulently made long-distance phone calls to SIUE, Chancellor Nancy Belck said at her monthly news conference.

Belck stated that many of the offenders in the scam — which totaled almost \$1 million in fraudulently billed calls — “are international students and they are now out of the country.”

Students who have confessed and repaid, or who have arranged to repay, cover only slightly more than \$400,000 to date, Belck added. SIUE has worked to convince the perpetrators to repay by withholding transcripts and grades from a handful of students who were identified as among the worst offenders in the fraud. But building cases to criminally prosecute any of them doesn't appear possible now, Belck said.

One of the major problems in building the cases involves tracing the people who actually made the calls in question, she said. The calls were made from October, 1993, until the discovery of the fraud in September, 1995.

It is believed that nearly 1,500 students and former students were involved in the fraud.



### No Parking

Denise Macdonald/Photo Service

Parking Services agents are in the process of implementing the University Vehicle Immobilization (Booting) Policy. Individuals who have not paid parking fines, or made arrangements to do so, are subject to having immobilization devices placed on their vehicles. Vehicles will not be released until all fines have been paid or payment plans arranged. Questions may be directed to Parking Services at ext. 3680.

## 'Pathways to Harmony' Diversity training for everyone

By Chris Clayton  
 News Editor

Diversity, an everyday word in our lives, is still not entirely understood.

On Feb. 19, 24 and 26, the Student Leadership Development Program will be sponsoring “Pathways to Harmony.”

“‘Pathways to Harmony’ is a program to build mutual respect and acceptance toward others,” Suzanne Kutter-Siburt, assistant director of the Kimmel Leadership Center, said.

Issues emphasized include those of a new employee entering the work place. Diverse groups are more common in communities today and the need for civility in these situations is rising.

Kutter-Siburt said students were optimistic about this program being offered during the spring semester.

“I think it is because they

want to be successful, and this program will help with that,” Kutter-Siburt said.

This program is designed to go along with the University's “commitment to an education which explores the historic wealth of diversity and reflects on its legacy so as to better enable our students to engage the future.”

There have been two sessions previous to the one coming up on Feb. 19.

Joslynn E. Glasper, a senior business major, attended the program on Feb. 10.

“My impression of the diversity training on Monday was very good,” Glasper said. “My objective was to gain even more information from what I heard of so far.”

One idea behind these diversity sessions is to make college students better

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## How it affects the bottom line Global diversity and corporate America

By Chris Clayton  
 News Editor

During February, seven speakers are coming to SIUE to talk about African American heritage and the subject of diversity.

One of these speakers, Daisy Dee Wood, manager of global diversity at General Electric, spoke on diversity as it is viewed in corporate America.

“Diversity is a business issue that affects the bottom line. For any business to grow and remain on the cutting edge, it must deal with it's corporate culture, and how it deals with people who are different,” Wood said.

Although diversity has existed for some time, not all corporations treat it the same as General Electric.

“All businesses do not address diversity forthrightly.

I can't tell you why they don't, maybe they just have not recognized the impact it can have on the bottom line,” Wood said.

“It (the term diversity) surfaced probably in the late '80s in the Hudson Report ... The federal government was commissioned to look at race agenda as we moved into the 21st century. The report was called the Hudson Report. What it talked about was how population is shifting globally, and specifically here in the United States.

“What they said was, that between now and the year 2000, 85 percent of the new entrants into the work force, will be women and people of difference. The question is what are we going to do about it,” Wood said.

The workplace has changed a great deal in the past 20 years, with

desegregation and women entering the workplace.

“The rules, policies and procedures that were used then, just don't fit today. Lots of changes have occurred and that brings about an uncomfortableness in people,” Wood said.

Education is the key for diversity to succeed.

“Recognize that no individual can change it globally, we each have to do our bit, in our little corner of the world,” Wood said.

The problem of working with other people is because upbringing and value systems are very different. This is why diversity training is needed in colleges.

“What we are trying to do is bring all of these together,”

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Melanie Adams questions the handling of the phone scam AND Lee Presser talks about the “Claytonization” of Edwardsville.

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Today: Chance of snow 32/16°  
 Friday: Cloudy 52/20°  
 Weekend: Partly Cloudy 36/24°

# TOP STORIES



## National

### Flights resume after airliner incidents

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Air Force resumed training flights over the East and Gulf coasts Tuesday after a four-day suspension that included a quick course in the dangers of shadowing airliners with sensitive collision avoidance systems.

One of the things investigators discovered was that many commercial plane alerts can be triggered by many fighter jets at distances the military pilots may not be counting on, Pentagon spokesman Kenneth Bacon said.

In two cases last week, collision alarms sounded in airliners when jet fighters came too close, causing one airline pilot to maneuver so sharply that three people were thrown on the floor. In the other case the pilot went into a descent to avoid the military planes. In two other cases, the alarms did not sound.

Bacon said the Air Force is redesigning its training program to take into account the sensitivity of collision avoidance systems on civilian air planes.

### Waiver of diplomatic immunity sought

WASHINGTON (AP) — The State Department asked the Republic of Georgia on Tuesday to waive diplomatic immunity for an embassy official whose car crash last month in

Washington resulted in the death of a 16-year-old girl. Department spokesman Nicholas Burns said the request was conveyed to the Georgian Embassy in Washington and to the government in Tbilisi, Georgia.

## State and Local

### Former Cardinal owner to reopen coal mine

(AP) — Forget fields of dreams. A former owner of the St. Louis Cardinals is putting his faith under the soil.

Fred Saigh, 92, who owned the baseball team for six years before selling it to Anheuser-Busch in 1953, is trying to buy a Southern Illinois coal mine that closed last summer, putting 400 people out of work.

"Fred said, 'Let's see if we can do something about this,'" recalled nephew Michael Saigh, the point man rounding up private and government support to reopen the mine.

So far, Exxon Corp. has rebuffed one offer for its Monterey Coal Mine No. 2 near Albers.

The new venture near Albers would be smaller and employ fewer people, but union officials are delighted by the effort, which has attracted attention from coal companies and potential customers.

If buyout efforts succeed, the union would be looking at 85 to 100 people initially to restart the mine, said Gary Kleber, head of the United Mine Workers of America union local at the Monterey Mine.

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letter to the editor

## The 'Claytonization' of Edwardsville

How many of you remember when Edwardsville did not have its own McDonald's restaurant? When Glen Carbon was a small village (seldom heard about) down Glen Carbon Road? Or when Illinois 157 was mostly open fields interrupted by an occasional house, all the way from Edwardsville to Collinsville?

For those of you who do not, that was the Edwardsville-Glen Carbon of the early 1960s.

Things have certainly changed since then. The physical size of the two communities is much greater. So are the dollar costs for operating those governments. Both have become prime locations for new housing. More children have entered the school district. Troy Road from Montclair to Glen Carbon Road became "Hamburger Row" and "shopping heaven".

Is this the look we intended?

Did the Planning Commission and the Zoning Boards of the 1960s and 70s expect our communities to look like this in the 1990s, or have we marched here one independent decision at a time?

We know our community has much to offer. That is why people are moving here. But we also know that as they come, we must give up some of the best reasons to be here. In St. Louis or other large cities, there is not much open space and there is lots of heavy traffic, crime, overcrowded schools, and the government is very remote from the people.

My question is, will we kill the goose that lays the golden egg by taking on the look of a prosperous community? Can we find a compromise which permits good growth while avoiding many of the problems so easily identified in other communities? Growth cannot be stopped. It can only be controlled by interested citizens and officeholders.

If a majority wants growth, then let's get on with it. If a minority wants growth and they have the money, is it in the best interest of the community for them to get on with it?

Within 10 years, Illinois 159 will be four and five lanes from Edwardsville to St. Clair Square in Fairview Heights. Within 25 years the Illinois 159 corridor may look a lot like Lindbergh Boulevard in St. Louis County.

During the next 50 years Metro-East (from Alton to Columbia - Waterloo and from the river out to Highland) will fill in, just as St. Louis County has.

Edwardsville Community Unit 7 school district contains much of the land from Illinois 111 to Illinois 4 and from I-270 north to the county line. When that much land converts from farm production to housing and business districts, it's a fact that the cost of operating the

district will go up.

Will increased property and sales taxes be enough to offset rising costs? It better. If property taxes go through the roof, the politicians didn't do the job we needed them to do.

If growth is the will of the majority, let's start building the infrastructure. New schools, improved roads, piped drinking water, sewers and waste treatment must all be near the top of the spending list.

More change is coming. Look at downtown Edwardsville and see how it has already changed. There's a new look as old structures give way to new designs. As the county seat, Edwardsville will continue to build more office space for business people, lawyers and government. Someday we will see sleek 10-story buildings. There will be many new restaurants and other service businesses. I can see the outline of the Clayton of Metro-East. It will be a city of good-looking neighborhoods surrounding a large, well defined government/business district.

To continue this growth, roads must be upgraded and expanded. The Illinois Department of Transportation has had plans to improve Illinois 159 and Illinois 157 on the books since the mid 60s. Why have they waited? Fifteen years ago Sen. Sam Vadalabene explained. He said the state would wait until Edwardsville/Glen Carbon was generating enough sales-tax revenue. The state is getting ready to spend the money to expand our roads. Obviously they think we are ready.

If it is growth we seek, then the current IDOT time schedule is too slow. It will be five years before we see the first shovel of dirt turned on Illinois 159 and 10 to 13 years before the corridor is completed to I-64. Considering the kind of growth we are now experiencing, IDOT's schedule will at least constrain if not strangle development during the next 10 years.

If growth is what we want, then local politicians must seek expedited funding from the state and the U.S. Department of Transportation for highway development.

The future is in the hands of the voting public. You will choose elected officials from among your neighbors. Those officials will appoint others to the Plan Commission and Zoning Boards which will determine the look and feel of our communities well into the next century. Citizens, you cannot stop progress, but you can exercise intelligent control.

Lee A. Presser  
The Presser Group

## University ruined its credibility with the phone fraud scandal



Commentary By Melanie Adams  
Editor in Chief

It came as no surprise to me that the university was not going to be pressing charges against the students who participated in the phone fraud scam. After all, the university has been making the same types of threats for almost a year with no results.

Sure, the university tried. They created an "Amnesty Program" that would allow students to confess their involvement and pay their debts quietly. They posted signs reading, "Don't forget Amnesty runs out March 1." They printed pamphlets stating the consequences that would befall students if amnesty was not considered. And the top administrators were shown talking about the university's commitment to disciplining the students on countless interviews on television and in the area's top newspapers.

The university sent a very strong message at first and the message was clear: the university was going to take action, the university was going to make these students pay.

But, as the weeks grew closer to the amnesty deadline, academia fell silent. Amnesty came and went and there was still no sign of action. Students went about their business and they learned from each other what they could and couldn't get away with at SIUE. Obviously, deceiving the university was something that was allowed.

It is unfortunate that the university acted the way they did. They went in for the kill and the students called their bluff. The university was fighting a losing battle from the start. The administrators knew that, and the students knew that, so why did they decide not to prosecute? Why did they give up the battle without a fight?

And what about the students who did turn themselves in? How is all of this fair to them? Yes, they should have paid for their crime. All of the people who committed phone fraud should have. Who is to pay for the crime that these unscathed students have committed? Future students at SIUE, students who were not involved in the scandal and those who have already paid their debts.

By the university giving up the fight to prosecute, the students involved in the scandal who didn't turn themselves in got away with their crime. The university lost its credibility to do as it said it would.

Not a very positive message to future students is it? The university should mean what they say and say what they mean.

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Kyle Jackson, 24, of Edwardsville was arrested for battery. She was issued a notice to appear in court and was released. Jackson Perkins, 27, of Chicago was arrested for battery. He posted \$100 bond and was released. Laurel Perkins, 27, of Wood River was arrested on 2 counts of battery, an outstanding SIUE warrant for theft under \$300 and an outstanding warrant from Collinsville for theft of services. She was unable to post bond and was transported to the Madison County Jail.

On Jan. 30 at 5:25 a.m. police responded to a disturbance at Tower Lake Apartments. James Williams, 19, of Edwardsville, was arrested for unlawful delivery of alcohol to a minor. Kaisha Alexander, 19, of Alton, was arrested for unlawful consumption of alcohol and Antionette Madison, 17, of Alton, was arrested for unlawful consumption of alcohol. All three were issued notices to appear in court and were released.

### Theft Under \$300

On Jan. 30, at 3:57 p.m., a student reported he had left his card in the ATM machine at the University Center. When he returned to get it, the card was there but someone had used it to withdraw \$180 from his account. Police are continuing their investigation.

### Traffic Accident

On Jan. 26, at 8:25 p.m., police responded to an accident at Tower Lake when Roderick Clemons-Allen, 25, of St. Louis, exited his car while it was running and went into an apartment. The car rolled backward hitting the building. The car sustained minor damage to the rear end. The building sustained damage to the exterior brick wall and to a window. Clemons-Allen was arrested for driving while having his license suspended.

On Jan. 27, at 3:24 p.m., police investigated an accident on University Drive and P2 Road. Samuel Klein, 21, of Alton, crossed over P2 Road and pulled into the inside lane of University Drive. As he pulled into University Drive, he struck the right front quarter panel, door and headlight of a car driven by Gwenn Jackson, 24, of Harvey, Ill. No tickets were issued due to weather conditions.

### Warrant Arrest

On Jan. 26, at 12:49 p.m., police arrested Sheila Dorman, 29, of Bridgeton, Mo., on a warrant for failure to appear (traffic) and failure to reduce speed. Dorman posted \$110 bond and was released.

## Internships and fellowships being offered by office of Lt. Governor Bob Kustra

By **Bethany Behrhorst**  
News Reporter

The Office of Lieutenant Governor Bob Kustra is taking applications from across the nation for over 100 positions available for the 1997 Lieutenant Governor's Fellowship and Internship programs.

Summer interns chosen for the program will receive a stipend of \$1,000 per month for performing duties in the office of the Lieutenant Governor.

The Lieutenant Governor's Office offers fellowships to students who will graduate before July, 1997. These college graduates will participate in a year-long fellowship and receive a stipend of \$23,500. The fellowships were designed in 1986 to offer motivated college graduates the opportunity to gain experience in the administration of state government.

"These are students who have excelled in the classroom," Kustra said. "Demonstrated exceptional leadership and are ready to apply their skills to the problems and issues that face our society and government. I encourage those who are

interested in a challenging and educational work experience to apply."

The internship program is designed for college juniors and seniors majoring in government, political science or public administration. Students pursuing other majors are encouraged to apply.

Students interested in the fellowship program must be in a field or major related to government. The fellows will work with senior staff members in the Lieutenant Governor's office, dealing with various issues such as education, substance abuse, community service, economic development, the environment, technology and rural affairs. Fellowships will be in Springfield and Chicago, Ill.

Students must have a grade point average between 3.0 and 4.0 in order to participate in either program.

Contact Susan Barfield, Internship/Fellowship Coordinator at (217) 782-9726 or write to the Lieutenant Governor's Office, 214 State House, Springfield, Ill. 62706 for more information and to obtain an application.

March 1, 1997 is the deadline for applications to be returned.

### Harmony

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prepared for the work place. "I would recommend it, probably starting with sophomores. I wouldn't want the juniors and seniors to wait too long," Glasper said. "In a way,

this is brushing up for getting ready for job fairs and things such as that. This can only be an enhancement, I think."

## NASA selling chances for space exploration

ATLANTIC, Va. (AP) - Ever have the yen to build a real rocket and blast it aloft with your own research payload? If you've got the interest - and a little money - the National Aeronautics and Space Administration has some spare rocket motors and launch sites.

Ray Stanley, chief of policy and external relations at NASA's Wallops Flight Facility, envisions a space camp where students could launch rockets with payloads containing experiments they built.

"When a Nike (engine) goes off, and you feel it down in your bones, it's really an experience," Stanley said. "For a high school kid who's got a payload on the front, it's got to make a lasting impression."

About 350 rocket motors are stored in concrete warehouses and dirt-covered bunkers at Wallops, on Virginia's eastern shore.

Some are Nikes from the 1950s that NASA got from the Army. Many of them were to have been used for Navy missiles.

NASA got the motors for free when the military decided they were too old to meet its standards. Over the past 30 years, the space agency has used hundreds of these rockets to launch scientific experiments.

But Wallops has more rockets in storage than it can use and, unless a use is found for them, they will be destroyed in a cost-cutting move.

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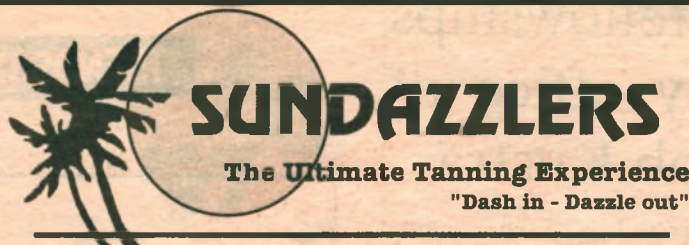
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**Wood**  
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Wood said. "Let them be different, but harmonious, not trying to change their value system."

"As college students I think you need to remember the things that you learned at home. Like 'please and thank you' and 'yes and no,' 'may I and pardon me' and treat people fairly. Even just doing that can make a difference," Wood said.

Diversity is the blending together of many different cultures into a whole, but not like the traditional melting pot.

Wood said, "It's more like a mixed salad, everything remains separate, but when it comes together, it is a menagerie."



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**From the Alestle**

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Goshen Lounge, University Center  
Student Government  
Katherine Dunham Center -  
Children's Dance - 7:30PM  
Student Experimental Theater  
University Theater - "Beyond Therapy" - 7:30PM  
Communications Building Theater  
Students - \$4.50  
Dance - 10:00PM - 2:30AM  
Cougar Den, University Center  
Phi Beta Sigma  
Students - \$3.00

## Saturday, February 15

Men's Basketball - SIUE vs.  
St. Joseph's - 7:30PM  
Katherine Dunham Center - Childr  
7:30PM  
Student Experimental Theater  
University Theater -  
"Beyond Therapy" - 7:30PM  
Communications Building Theater  
Students - \$4.50

## Sunday, February 16

Faculty Recital - John Korak & Lin  
3:00PM  
LoveJoy Library Auditorium  
College of Arts and Sciences,  
Department of Music  
Katherine Dunham Center - Childr  
3:00PM  
Student Experimental Theater

## Monday, February 17

President's Day

## Tuesday, February 18

# THE SCENE

Happenings Around SIUE

## THEATER

### Faces of Love

WSIE-FM presents **Faces of Love: The Show** at 7 p.m. on Feb. 15 at the Westport Playhouse. \$28.50 or \$35. Call 314-968-1800.

### Beyond Therapy

SIUE-Edwardsville Theater presents **Beyond Therapy** at 7:30 p.m. Feb. 14 - 15 & 21 - 22 and 2 p.m. Feb. 23 in the Communications Building Theater, on campus. \$6; \$4.50 students, seniors and faculty. 314-621-5168, ext. 2774.

### Black History Month

In recognition of Black History

Month, students at Washington University, sponsored by the Division of Student Affairs, present **Black Comedy: Laughing to Keep from Crying** at 7 p.m. Feb. 16 at the Edison Theatre, 6445 Forsythe. \$7; \$5 students and staff. 314-935-6543 or 314-935-6679.

## MUSIC

### Dave's Cappuccino

Dave's Cappuccino presents **Georgy Rock**, Feb. 14 at 9 p.m. with a \$2 cover. Also performing at Dave's; Feb. 15 **David White**. Dave's also features Open Mic night every Tuesday. Dave's Cappuccino is located on Hwy. 157 in Collinsville, Ill. For more information please call 618-344-5282.

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For more information call the Information Office at 692-5555

## SLDP Module

2:30PM & 7:00PM

Mississippi/Illinois Room, University Center

Student Leadership Development Program

## UCB Coffeehouse Showcase

7:30PM

University Center Restaurant

University Center Board & the Wellness Prog.

## Griot Leadership Symposium: African Culture

7:00PM - 9:00PM

Redbud Room, University Center

Black Student Association

## Wednesday, February 19

UCB Center Stage - NCHP: Success Through Unity - A

## Collective Step Show

11:30AM - 1:30PM

Goshen Lounge, University Center

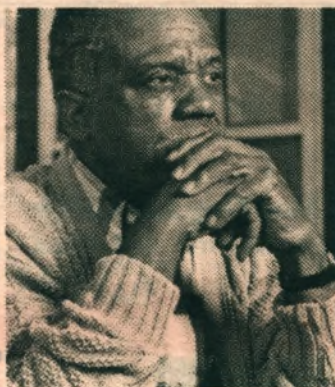
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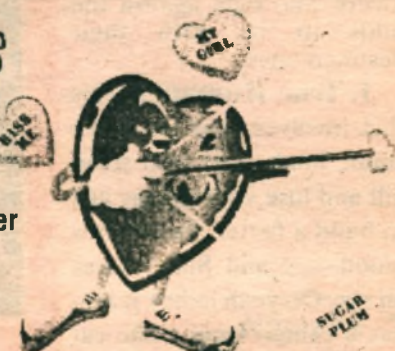
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For the weeks of February 16th through February 23rd

**February 18**  
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## GROUP PROCESS (05)

Sgt. 1st Class Teske  
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Location: Vadalabene Center

7:00pm

## COMMUNITY CHANGE: WHAT A LEADER NEEDS TO KNOW (15)

Tom Wobbe  
Executive Director  
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**February 25**  
2:30pm

## DEVELOPING SELF ESTEEM (16)

Marilyn Lewis  
Life Crisis Services

7:00pm

## ASSESS YOUR SERVICE & LEADERSHIP STYLE (06)

Ed Childs  
Counselor  
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Modules are held in the Mississippi-Illinois Room unless otherwise indicated.

## SLDP REMINDERS...

Pathways to Harmony serves to build Mutual respect, acceptance, and civility among individuals. Students need only to attend one session.

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10. Bring your lunch.

## Marijuana Meeting

A National Organization to Reform Marijuana Laws Meeting is held Feb. 13 from 8-10 p.m. in the east meeting room of the St. Louis County Library Headquarters, 1640 S. Lindbergh. 314-995-1395.

## VOLUNTEER

Sexual Assault Victims First is seeking qualified men and women to serve as Victim Advocates. Training begins on Feb. 11. Call Margaret St. Clair at 618-344-0609.

pany, Wed. Feb. 26, 7:30 at the SIUE Communications Building. \$12 general admission; students. 618-692-2320 or 692-2626. The 1996-97 will be the final tour for the tzkly Dance Company.

## Stringers

SIUE Arts & Issues Series presents Uptown String Quartet. Mar. 27, 7:30 p.m. at the Communications Building. \$12 general admission, students. 618-692-2320 or 692-2626. Performance include original works plus ic of Scott Joplin, Charlie er, Duke Ellington and es Brown.

## Brown Bag Theology

Catholic Campus Ministry is sponsoring a "Brown Bag Theology Series on the Foundations of Morality and the Redness of Human Life". A seminar series will be held in the Cahokia Room of the University Center from noon to 1 Mon. Feb. 17; Mon. Feb. Mon. Mar. 3; and Mon. Mar.

## Movies that put the 'heart' back in V-Day

By Corey Stulce  
Lifestyle Editor

Need a special video to light that special Valentine's Day fire with your man or lady? Avoid the old tired, wishy-washy romances like "Sleepless in Seattle" and "When Harry Met Sally". Who wants to listen to neurotics whine about love for two hours anyway? Here are some picks about true lovers, who fight against the odds to be with their destined ones.

**1. True Romance:** This flick involves a call girl and a comic book nerd who steal, kill and lose vital organs just to build a better life. There's blood, sex and Slater loses an eye. Oh yeah ladies, it also has a cameo from some cat named Brad Pitt.

**2. Beautiful Girls:** Timothy Hutton and Natalie Portman have a May/December thing going, and it provides some great funny dialogue. It also has Uma Thurman which leads

to...

**3. Mad Dog and Glory:** Robert DeNiro and Uma

back. They fight it out on the streets. Ahh, ain't romance grand.



**4. Wild at Heart:** Nicholas Cage is so in love with Laura Dern in this David Lynch classic that he beats a man's brains out, who insults her. That's just the first five minutes of this wacked out movie. Bonus: Cage woos her with a rendition of "Love Me Tender" at the end.

**5. Heavenly Creatures:** If you're feeling really kooky for the big night, rent this weird true story from Peter Jackson. Two teenage girls are so infatuated with each other, they kill one girl's mother with a brick to the head in order to stay together. Now that's love! It features the divine Kate Winslet in one of her first roles.

## Cruel tricks for dear exes

By Corey Stulce  
Lifestyle Editor

The honeymoon's over, long over. He/she is gone, but not quite forgotten. Sure, you're over them, but wouldn't it be great to get even for all of the mean and nasty things they did to you throughout the relationship? Maybe you're currently trying to get rid of some unwanted person in your life. Here are a few suggestions, possibly even breaking a few laws, to make your previous paramour suffer.

1. Send them a lovely Valentine's box of chocolates. Make sure its a big box, big enough to put a pig's heart right in the middle. Make sure its still bloody. Add a nice little note, something like, "Thinking of you". Don't sign your name.

2. Does she like body and bath works? Most of them do. Get her a nice basket with an assortment of hair shampoos and conditioners.

Dump out half, and fill them up with Nair. That should take care of that itchy scalp.

3. Are they allergic to a certain type of flower or plant? Good. Buy an assortment of flowers they aren't allergic to, and pepper the bouquet with small unnoticeable pieces of the allergic kind. Leave them anonymously on their porch. Then, after they're admitted, send another bouquet to the hospital.

4. You probably still have pictures of them somewhere. Find a nice embarrassing shot (possibly a nude), and distribute it to everyone they know, including Grandma. She needs a good laugh, right.

5. Back to the chocolate. Everybody loves chocolate, right. Here are a couple things to do. One, whip up some ex-lax covered strawberries. Yum. Or even better, inject an unopened box of chocolates with some syrup of ipecac. (It makes the injestee violently vomit.) Happy hunting!

COMICS

Evil Tommy

Corey Stulce

Hell

by Joe Anders



## Say What?!?

### Describe your first kiss.



"I was in the 2nd grade, and it was Jill. She kissed me on the cheek in the corner of the classroom. Then she moved."

Tom Rezabeck



"I was four, I started pretty young. My sister told me to kiss the neighbor girl, and I would be cool, like 'The Fonz.'"

Jimmy O'Donnell



"It was my freshman year of college, and Phillip Johnson kissed me. It was magic. Happy Valentine's Day, Phillip."

Shanita Smith



"It was a young lady, who unfortunately got involved with the hick scene. It was very wet, deep, and throaty."

Lord Hudson Eric Homann



"I was coming home from a dance. I was 15. We were in the back seat, and I was sleeping. It was very unoriginal."

Carrie Healy

# Hail to the chiefs, cause they need some hailing

By Corey Stulce  
Lifestyle Editor

You know Lincoln and Clinton and "Tricky Dick" Nixon, Adams and Carter and Reagan "The Gipper", but do you recall there were about 35 presidents who never get mentioned at all? Here are some fun facts for everyone to enjoy about some of the most powerful, but forgotten men in the world.

Ulysses S. Grant hasn't held office since the nineteenth century, but when he did, he smoked 20 cigars a day. Where would he have stood on banning smoking? The cigars added to the eventual cause of his death, lung cancer. He was also in many bloody battles back then, but he couldn't stand the sight of animal blood. Apparently, rare steak nauseated him. Weird, huh. He was also the only president arrested for speeding, while serving in office, on his horse. He was fined \$20.

Everyone knows what Abe Lincoln did, but few know of the weird thing about his son, Robert. He was in Washington when his father was shot, and was also on the scene when both Presidents James Garfield and William McKinley were shot. Richard Nixon was suspiciously in Dallas the day John Kennedy was shot as well. Very interesting.

James Buchanan, elected in 1857, was nearsighted in one eye and farsighted in the other. The affliction caused his head to be cocked to the left at all times.

Chester A. Arthur was known as "Elegant Arthur," because he was

known for the way he dressed. He owned 80 pairs of trousers and often changed clothes many times a day.

Millard Filmore, a one-termer, did not meet his running mate, Zachary Taylor, until after they were elected into office. What a team!

Many presidents have strange relations, which may have something to do with why they are elected.

Woodrow Wilson's second wife, Elizabeth, was the great-granddaughter of Pocahontas.

Franklin Roosevelt was related to 11 former presidents, and George Bush was distantly related to none other than Benedict Arnold, Marilyn Monroe, Winston Churchill and Presidents Lincoln, Franklin Pierce, Teddy Roosevelt, and Gerald Ford.

Andrew Jackson was wounded in a duel at age 39. He carried the bullet, next to his heart, to the grave. Now that's a trooper!

John Quincy Adams swam nude in the Potomac River everyday, weather permitting, of course.

William Taft was the largest president, over 330 pounds, and he once got stuck in the White House bathtub.

Who knew that Nixon parted his hair to the right in order to hide a hideous scar?

Where's his credentials? Grover Cleveland's former job was as a public executioner. He hung two men.

Hey, isn't learning about the presidents fun? This information and more can be found at the presidential web site, POTUS.

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**"Beyond Therapy" debuts this weekend**

By Jerryl Malloyd  
 For the Alestle

"Beyond Therapy," by Christopher Durang is just right for Valentine's Day. The production makes it way to the Communications Building theater on Fri., Feb. 14 through Sun., Feb. 23.

David Quinn directs the comic play which premiered in 1981 as an off-Broadway hit, and was called a scatty comedy by critics. Quinn said that the play works better as a period piece and that's why he is setting the play in 1981. "Hopefully, the costumes and the music will take us back some 15 years and maybe we'll ring a nostalgic note for playgoers," he said.

The play is about two people who meet through a personal ad, leading to a real uprooting relationship with hilarious situations tossed in. The characters, Prudence and Bruce, are the darlings of this witty comedy. "The play is a playwright's offbeat look - through a sharp comic prism - at life in our neurotic times," said Quinn. Prudence and Bruce sky rocket off into a rather hilarious and bumpy ride finding the perfect mate in a real, fulfilling relationship. With characters such as these, even the therapists need therapy.

Durang's wacky sense of humor is just what Quinn prefers after directing "Man of La Mancha" for Summer Showbiz '95 and "A Midsummer Night's Dream" for the University's regular season. He had a cast of 25 or more actors in each production, so the small cast of "Beyond Therapy" comes as a relief. There are notable references to stars, like Shawn Cassidy and Joyce DeWitt, in the production that modern audiences would probably still recognize. Because of some adult themes and language, the play is not recommended for children.

Tickets for "Beyond Therapy" are \$6; students, senior citizens, and SIUE faculty and staff, \$4.50. This play is not suitable for children. For more ticket information, call the SIUE Fine Art Box Office (618) 692-2774, or from St. Louis, (314) 621-5168, Ext. 2774.

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**Corey Stulce**  
Lifestyle Editor

Ah, those were the days...

Valentine's Day, oh boy. Does anyone enjoy this day? It's usually full of stress and turmoil, for the one's who have people to share it with. They have to worry about who's gift is going to be better. Or, did he/she even remember the day?? For those who have no Valentine, it's a day for over-eating and watching sappy movies. (See my MOVIES story on page 10).

It started back when we were in grade school. There was a party, to which we dedicated the last hour of school. Sure it was a break from the norm, and we got to eat cupcakes and the weird cookies that one kid's mom always seemed to bring. What the hell were in those things anyway, arsenic? Whatever happened to that kid, too? He seemed to disappear after sixth grade.

Anyway, the party. Everyone was forced to give valentine's to everyone in the class. Great, everyone in the class. Who wanted to give a valentine to that big-headed kid who used to fold and unfold his handkerchief on his desk, and it was covered with

neon green crusty boogers, and he used to bite his arm when he was mad until you could see teeth marks, and he threw up milk on my friend Jason's shoes one day, and, well you get the idea. Why did we have to give him a valentine. He would always get the one you had to cut off of the back of the box. The back of it was just brown cardboard, and I would just sign my name, no friendly regards, just my name.

This was fine, until sixth grade. This year, although we were supposed to bring them for everyone, someone didn't. Robert Spaulding, the artist of the class, handmade his valentines with cartoon characters like Garfield on them. Well, me and my friends didn't get one. He only brought them for his friends, and that certainly wasn't us. We didn't like his gang and they didn't like us.

Needless to say, I was still pissed when I didn't get a handmade valentine. Robert claimed he didn't have time to make them for EVERYONE. Yeah, whatever, Robert.

Of course, this made me think of the big-headed kid who never got cool "Return of the Jedi" valentines. He just got crappy ones with a train on the front that said "I Choo-choo-choose you". I wonder how he felt.

But, by the next day me and my friends were back to tormenting him to tears and slamming his head in the desk when he would stick it in there to cry. Man, those were some good, good times.

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## Air Ball

By Todd Spann  
Sports Editor

### The Belle tolls

Albert Belle of the Chicago White Sox admitted that he lost up to \$40,000 in gambling on pro football and college basketball games.

It was reported in the Cleveland Plain-Dealer that Belle made the admission in a lawsuit filed over a 1995 incident where Belle chased some kids for throwing eggs at his house.

There is no evidence that Belle gambled on baseball games and the league hasn't decided if they are going to pursue the issue.

### Mirer

Do you really think Rick Mirer is worth what the Bears are willing to give Seattle?

Erik Kramer did a good job two years ago when he was injury free. The one thing that hurt him last season was that he was injured.

If Chicago has a healthy Kramer next season, is Mirer worth the investment?

The Bears are willing to give up their first-round draft choice and other compensation that will be reached within the next few days.

Kramer is a good quarterback. Mirer is also a good quarterback. But if Mirer is better, then how much better?

Is it worth a No. 1 draft pick?

### Tough task

The SIUE women's basketball team is gearing up for the No. 4 team in Division II women's basketball. The Cougars play today in Evansville, Ind.

All I can say is, take care of business.

If you do that, good things will happen.

Good Luck.

# Cougars ready to take on the best

By Brett Licata  
Assistant Sports Editor

Evansville, Ind., will host a battle of the No. 1 and 2 teams in the Great Lakes Valley Conference as the SIUE women's basketball team faces Southern Indiana on Saturday.

The Cougars are in the No. 2 spot with an 11-3 conference mark and a 16-5 overall record. Southern Indiana is currently No. 4 in the nation and are undefeated in the GLVC with a 14-0

record and 20-1 overall.

"This is a rivalry for us," head coach Wendy Hedberg said. "They'll be up for this game, but we play well on their floor."

SIUE will have to contend with a pressure defense and LeAnn Freeland, the second leading scorer in Division II with an average of 21 points per game.

The Cougars will try and counter with the potent shooting of juniors Leslie Phillips and Alicia Harkins, both of whom are in the top ten in field-goal percentage.

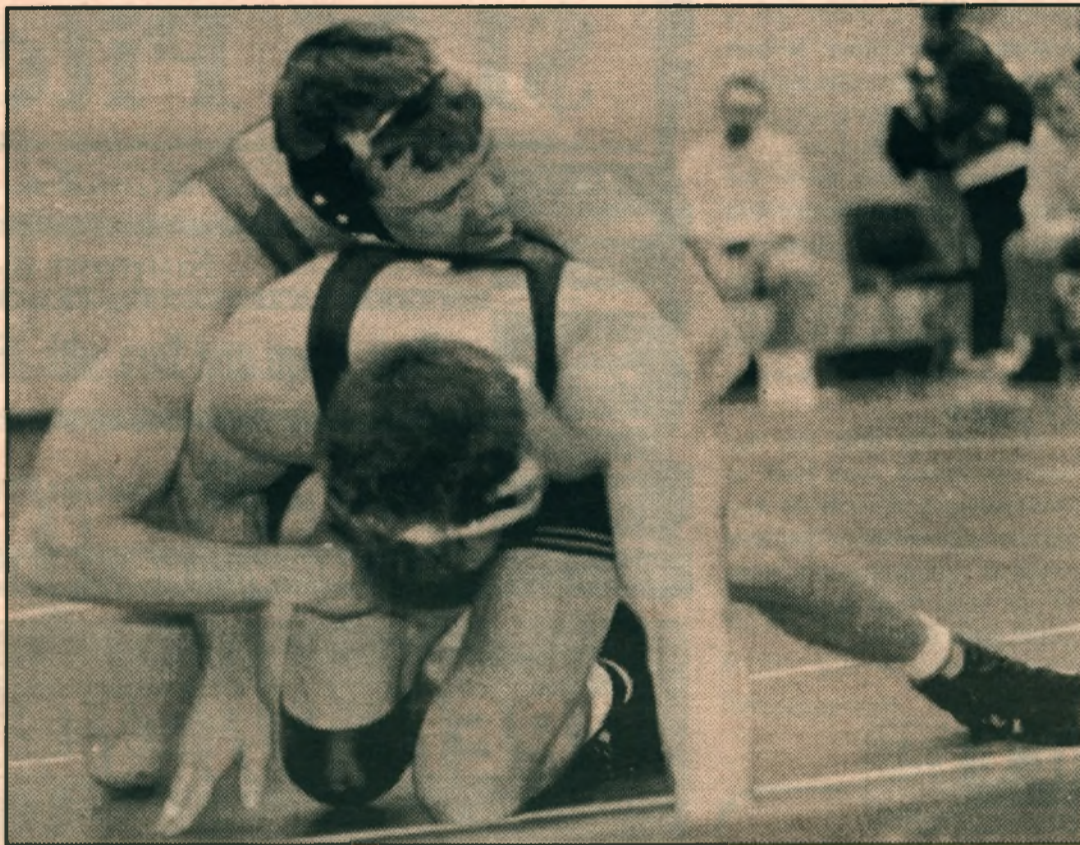
Phillips is also in the top three in three-point field goal shooting.

"Everyone needs to step up in this game," Hedberg said. "Everyone has to contribute what they do well and we'll have a good chance of winning."

SIUE is currently No. 2 in the nation in three-point percentage and No. 6 in field goal percentage.

"We're taking it a game at a time," Hedberg said. "At this point in the season, every game is critical."

## Illinois 39, SIUE 6



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## Pinned!!

The SIUE wrestlers went up against the University of Illinois Wednesday night in the Vadalabene Center. Individual scores were not tallied before the paper went to press. The final score was Illinois 39, SIUE 6. The next match for the Cougars is Feb. 20 against Indiana in the Vadalabene Center.

# Bradley gets scare from SIUE hockey

By Brett Licata  
Assistant Sports Editor

Solid defense shows that the SIUE ice hockey team can skate with some of the best teams in the Illinois/Wisconsin Collegiate Hockey Association.

The Cougars lost 4-1 to a skilled Bradley team in Peoria last Saturday.

"We were really pleased to skate as well as we did," defenseman Matt Foristal said. "Bradley is arguably the best team in the league, and we were able to hang around the entire game."

Goaltender Derek Schmalz lead the defensive stand making 54 saves and receiving the second star of the game.

Derek Zerkelbach scored the lone SIUE goal at 14:05 of the third period to make it a 3-1 contest before Bradley shut the door on a Cougar comeback.

"To go onto their ice and play them like we did is very promising," Foristal said. "Bradley has many financial benefits for its hockey program so they've built a strong team. It might have been a loss on paper, but it was a victory for us."

Foristal said, "Jason Schaaque has contributed to our offense immensely with his ability to win face-offs and Jason Crites has played with a lot of heart."

The Cougars are content with their progress to this point.



For the Alestle

The SIUE club ice hockey team hit the ice against Bradley last Saturday where they fell 4-1. The Cougars will face Missouri-Columbia Saturday

They will face another Division I team at Missouri-Columbia this Saturday at the East Alton Ice Arena at 1 p.m.

"It should be a good game," Foristal said. "We need to get an early lead and build off that. We're confident that we can beat them since we'll have the fan support behind us."



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**Around he goes**

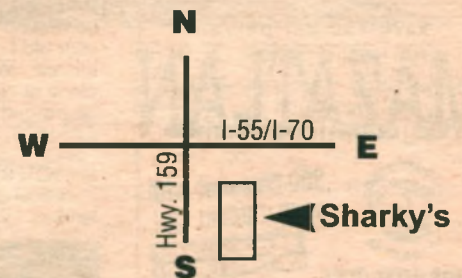
Dale Schlonat tries to drive baseline on Roy Gilmore in a six-foot-and-under intramural game, Tuesday night in the Vadalabene Center.

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ATTENTION: THE Ladies of A&T will be having a back sale on Thursday. With every purchase you will receive a free can of Surge. Thanks!

PARTY WITH the Dance Team and Sigma Phi Epsilon on Tuesday, Feb. 18 from 7pm to 1am at the Gallery. To benefit the new SIUE Poms. 2/18/97

HEY SPORTS fans, Saturday night, 7:30 Cougar basketball with half-time show by the dance team. Post-game victory get together at the Sig-Ep house till dawn.

THE AKA would like to thank the Alpha Phi's for the tuck-in. We appreciate your awesome hospitality. Sincerely, Michael Waits.

GOOD JOB to the SIUE Pom Squad! Thanks to everybody for their wonderful support. Your Captain, Niki.

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Skating anyone?! Love, the Ladies of AΦ.

TO ΣΠ, ΣΦΕ, ΑΚΑ, Alpha's, and the Kappa's--thanks for cooperating with the hectic tuck-ins Wednesday. We enjoyed sharing story time and cookies with all of you gentlemen. The Ladies of Alpha Phi!

THE LADIES of AΦ would like to wish everyone a very Happy Valentine's Day!

AΦ NEW members, I hope you are having a great time during your new member period. We are so happy you are AΦ's.

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AΦ CARRIE and Sarah--Great job on the Pom routine Thursday. Love, the Girls of AΦ.

SIUE COUGAR basketball team, awe-

some game last Thursday. Keep up the excitement. We had a blast. Love, the Ladies of AΦ!

ΣΦΕ, WE would like to wish you the best on your Founder's Day!! Love, the Ladies of AΦ.

HEY AΦ Melissa, Happy Birthday to the best Eulchre partner I've ever had! It was really fun! ΣΦΕ, Art.

THANK YOU to the Men of ΣΠ. We had a great time skating and afterwards! Love, the Ladies of AΦ.

COME AND watch the SIUE Poms perform on Sat 2/15/97. Keep up the support. Pohlman, keep that booty shaking! Love, Luna.

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